

EWU-GU Law 3+3 POLI Pre-Law Degree Path

An EWU student that has fulfilled all necessary proficiencies, other requirements, including the first two years of university requirements majoring in Political Science with the Pre-Law option could complete the 3+3 plan and path with Gonzaga School of Law in the following way:

Junior Year at EWU

Completing the required introductory core courses: POLI 100 Introduction to US Politics, POLI 202 Introduction to Political Theory, POLI 203 Introduction to Comparative Politics, and POLI 204 Introduction to International Politics, each 5 credits for a total of 20 credits and no changes from standard path. The student would also need two classes, POLI 313 Ancient and Medieval Political Thought or POLI 314 Modern Political Thought, and POLI 320 International Systems, for 10 credits towards the disciplinary core for a **total of 30 credits in the junior year**.

The EWU student would need to be admitted to Gonzaga School of Law and then three courses (Civil Procedure, Constitutional Law, and Criminal Law) from the first year curriculum of Gonzaga School of Law would count as equivalencies or substitutes for three disciplinary core classes- POLI 300 Judicial Process, POLI 335 US Congress, and POLI 332 US Presidency, for a **total of 15 credits of equivalencies or substitutions**.

The remainder of the first year courses from Gonzaga School of Law would count as equivalencies or substitutions for 30 credits of elective requirements towards the POLI Pre-Law degree. Those courses include: Torts, Contracts, Property, Legal Research & Writing I, Legal Research and Writing II, Litigation Skills & Professionalism Lab, Transactional Skills & Professionalism Lab.

The student would complete POLI 490 for 5 credits and POLI 493 for 2 credits in the summer after the first year of law school to complete the EWU POLI Pre-Law degree, or, the student would complete the ITGS 400 Online Capstone for 4 credits and POLI 493 for 2 credits could be completed any time during the senior year, allowing the student to graduate with an EWU degree in Political Science with the Pre-Law option and continue as a second year law student at Gonzaga. **6 or 7 credits during or after the regular senior year at EWU.**

Total of 82 credits- EWU degree earned